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BURIAL OF MERT BROWN. A Large Number of Friends From Near and Far Gather to Pay Their Last Tributes.

They Meet With a Terrible Mishap on the Flatie River. Their Boats Were Wrecked in the Raging Waters of the Swollen River.

FIFTEEN LOSE THEIR LIVES. A Large Number of Men Spent the Night on the Flatie River.

TRIAL OF J. R. HOOPER. The Crown to Assume the Expense of Witnesses for Defense.

TRUAX HERESY CASE. The Rev. Gentlemen Deposed From the Methodist Ministry.

CHASING A YANKEE SCHOONER. The Canadian Cruiser Vigil Loses a Prize.

TWO BOYS DROWNED. Fatal Result of an Experiment With a Water Bicycle.

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ONE KIND OF WHISPERER. O'Connell's Death Has Been Announced.

Bothwell Dairy Meeting. ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

Robbed a Hotel of \$1,000. OWEN, June 9. A daring robbery was committed at the residence of Mrs. Owen.

WON THE DUKE'S BANER. MONTREAL, June 9. The Duke of Connaught's banner, won by St. Mary's College.

MINERS' STRIKE IN SCOTLAND. ENNEBURGH, June 9. In consequence of the determination of the miners to reduce the wages of their employees by one shilling a day, the miners in Scotland are on strike.

THE BOTTOM OF THE SEA. THE GREAT PRESSURE SUSTAINED BY DEEP WATER FISHES.

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BROKEN IN HEALTH. That Tired Feeling, Constipation and Pain in the Back.

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THE REPORTER

ATHENS, JUNE 19, 1894.

COUNTY NEWS.

INTERESTING LETTERS FROM OUR STAFF OF CORRESPONDENTS.

A Budget of News and Gossip. Personal Intelligence. A Little of Everything well Mixed up.

FORFAR. MONDAY, June 18—Miss Lizzie Miles spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Warburton.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Brown at Philipville on Sunday.

Two ladies were here selling tickets for the opening of the Methodist church at Newboro on Saturday and Sunday.

The Methodist Sunday school are making arrangements for their annual picnic.

TOLEDO. SATURDAY, June 16—Miss O'Hara has started teaching her school once more.

Mr. George Aley was in Brockville this week as one of the jurors in the county court.

Rev. G. H. Porter, M. A., B. D., who has been pastor of the Methodist church of Toledo and Frankville, intends to stay with us another year.

A few from here attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Fitzpatrick at New Boyne on Wednesday last.

The Lansdowne band has been engaged to play at the coming great picnic to be held here on the 2nd and 3rd of July.

As Mr. Bert Wood has the honor of starting this band, we expect to hear some fine music.

SEELYE'S BAY. SATURDAY, June 16—Mrs. Wm. Chapman left this week for a visit to friends in Watertown, and Oswego, N. Y.

Mr. Jas. Moore, of Plevna, visited old friends here last week.

Mr. C. Brady has started a butcher shop.

Dr. Bowen has gone into camp with the Ganauque Field Battery at Ganauque.

Mr. C. C. Gilbert did a good business selling ice-cream the day of the picnic.

The cow dairy arrived Friday with the plank for the sidewalks and work will start immediately, as they are in a dilapidated condition.

The picnic held Friday last by the Select Knights was a success, and was largely attended by the residents of the surrounding country.

At about 10 a.m. the members of the Legion assembled at the hall, formed up, and headed by their fine brass band, marched to the grounds and partook of a sumptuous dinner.

After dinner short speeches were given by the chairman, Mr. R. Roadhouse, Rev. G. S. Reynolds, Rev. Wm. Moore and Dr. McGhie.

After the speeches were over other sports took place, such as running, jumping, races, &c., and concluded with the matched game of football between Synধান and Seelye's Bay teams, the prize being a foot ball, which was won by the Synধান team after a hot contest.

Supper was served at about 5 p.m. and all that could be desired, although it was very warm, and all highly enjoyed it and went home well pleased with the day's outing.

There being no dancing on the picnic ground, the young people held a social hop in Mr. Jas. Gairn's hall at the evening and had a good time.

Mr. J. Wilson, the Patron candidate, was at the picnic, but did not arrive in time to make a speech, having been detained elsewhere.

SOPERTON. MONDAY, June 18—Evening sails on the lake are now the chief amusement.

Mr. Johnson Sheffield, who has been slowly recovering, is again confined to his bed.

Miss May Washburn has returned home from Brockville and is renewing old friends in Soperton.

Quite a number attended the political meeting in Lyndhurst on Saturday.

down side at, and up to "Ebo Hall," we cannot fail to know the rest.

Miss Anne Sheffield and Miss M. Frye rowed down the Lake as far as Delta, and back on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Miss Kendrick, of Lansdowne, are the guests of their uncle, Mr. W. Kendrick, here.

Mr. Cha. Peir, of Seelye's Bay, paid us a flying visit on Sunday.

Master Charles Frye is the happy possessor of two young loons, captured, while swimming near the shore, on Sunday.

The brother Odd Fellows from here attended the funeral of their late brother, Merton Brown, at Philipville on Sunday.

Mr. Metcalf Sheffield, of Frankville, was in town on Saturday.

Would the young lady who can wield the scythe so successfully, on her front lawn, like a job? If so, apply at headquarters.

Visitors: J. Anging, W. Locks, of Kingston; Miss Hollingsworth, Miss S. Wilbur, of Exeter; and Mr. and Miss Sheffield, of Lyndhurst.

We are glad to see our school-yard extended and are waiting anxiously for the long promised improvements.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. C. Andros is suffering from the sting of a bee. Did he receive it in Daytown?

We will take this opportunity to suggest that the young men who go fishing (1) had better leave the boat, and take a drive is frequently traversed by ladies.

PHILIPVILLE. MONDAY, June 18—Sunday was a sad day for the residents of this place, two funerals having taken place in the Methodist church.

In the morning, at half past ten, the Rev. S. Sheldon performed the last sad rites for our departed friend, Merton Brown, preaching an impressive sermon from the text "Jesus Wept."

At half past two, the Rev. G. Reynolds, the pastor, conducted the funeral services of Mrs. Jefferson Elliott, who died on Friday after a short illness.

Three weeks ago she attended the dedication services of the new Methodist church, Elgin, and was taken ill during the afternoon services.

Her husband and children, whose home is consequently broken up, have the sympathy of all their friends.

The sudden death of another one of our boys who had grown up in our quiet village, at Merton, makes the third young man who has been called suddenly away during the past fifteen months.

His sorrowing friends have the sympathy of the whole community in their bereavement, as he was a universal favorite.

ADDISON. SATURDAY, June 16—Mr. John Bolger, of McIntosh Mills, paid our village a short visit last week.

Mr. Allan Walker has engaged as foreman on the Model farm at Reynard Valley for the balance of the season.

Mr. Thomas Spry and lady, of Wright's Corners, were the guests of our King at blacksmith for a few days.

Your correspondent made a short visit to Forlorn recently and found the deputy toll-keeper in a very melancholy mood on account of the loss of the much prized tomahawk which he purchased during his last visit at the Island City.

The ex-president has become quite reconciled over the affair, and has returned out at the deputy for thinking that he would do anything wrong, and their is every reason to suppose there will be trouble if the dep. does not make reparation.

Mr. H. A. Field, who has purchased the rights to the Eagle and will take duty from none of the boys now.

The Rev. Mr. Knox is improving and will be able to resume his pastoral work in a few weeks.

Mr. Joseph Scott and lady, of North Augusta, were visiting friends in the village last week.

Mr. David Copeland, of Syracuse, paid our village a flying visit on the 16th.

Mr. Charles Marquette and lady, of Brockville, were guests of H. B. Brown, King at east on Sunday last.

Mr. S. Klyne occupied the pulpit in our church on Sabbath evening last.

It is rumored that one of our King at, bellies us to make Kingston her future home in a few months.

CHANTRY. SATURDAY, June 9—Murray, photographer, visited this place Thursday, and made a number of pictures, including the school.

Miss Estella Bullis gave a birthday party Wednesday night. Miss Bullis received many handsome presents.

Mr. A. Sheldon and wife made a visit to their Lynn friends last week.

The school picnic, which came off last Saturday, was a success.

Miss Minnie Alford, teacher at Elbe Mills, visited home Sunday.

Sunday school picnic which was intended to be held soon, has been postponed until after harvesting.

Mr. Wesley Chant is making a visit here among his friends.

Rev. Mr. Peeler will preach his farewell sermon here next Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Lyons was a guest at A. J. Copeland's Sunday.

MONDAY, June 18—Mr. B. Empey, of Easton's Corners, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Knowlton had a picnic on Doits lake, Saturday, for a number of her school-mates and her former teacher, Mr. M. Lobbig.

Mrs. Washburn, of Seelye's Bay, is making quite an extended visit to her nephew, Mr. Elmer Sheldon.

Much sympathy is felt by the people here for Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, Philipville, in their severe affliction, the death of their son Merton.

Messrs. W. W. Copeland, Syracuse, and W. D. Copeland, Brockville, visited friends here last week.

Miss Minnie Alford, teacher at Elbe Mills, spent Saturday and Sunday at her mother's.

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Bank Stocks Below will be found quotations of the leading Bank Stocks which the Reporter will publish weekly in future for the information of its readers:

Table with columns: Bank Name, Asked, Bid. Includes Bank of Toronto, Bank of Montreal, Imperial Bank of Canada, etc.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALITIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

Events as Seen by Our Knight of the Pen—Special Announcements

Red Right Down D. & A. Corsets at G. W. Beach's.

Next Thursday is the longest day of the year.

Brockville will have a band tournament July 2nd.

A cool head saves many an accident. Keep your head cool in one of Beach's new hats.

The counties council is in session this week at Brockville.

All prisoners, who enter the Kingston penitentiary in future will be vaccinated.

Immense bargains in blouses, shirt waists, chemisettes and collars at G. W. Beach's.

Mrs. Kitch E. Redmond and daughter, of St. Paul, Minn., are visiting friends here and at North Augusta.

For men and boys' suits, white vests, summer coats and camping shirts, go to G. W. Beach's.

Miss Addie Lee, of Sault Ste. Marie, is home for a visit.

The Canada Central Association of Baptist churches is in session in Brockville this week.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Miss Stone, Elms st., on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Carriage repairing of all kinds done in first class style at lowest prices—at A. James'.

Mr. A. E. Fisher passed creditably at the recent exam't at Toronto University, taking honors in classics.

Lost—In Athens, a bound book entitled "Old Corn." Finder will please leave at this office.

\$10,000 private money to loan on real estate security. Apply to JOHN CRAWLEY, opp. Reporter office, Athens.

Rev. J. A. Kennedy, pastor of the Baptist church, is to-day at Resboro, Victoria Co., and at 7 p.m. to-morrow he will wed Emma Madu, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reo, of that place.

Pimples, boils and other humors of the blood are liable to break out in the warm weather. Prevent it by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Reporter will not be issued until noon on Wednesday next, in order to give the result of the provincial elections.

CASH—\$800.00 worth of crockery, china and glassware at Bankrupt prices. Sale continues for a short time only.

—T. W. Dennis, Tea Store and China Hall, Brockville, Ont., nearly opposite the Revere house.

A Toronto contemporary says the sudden jump in the price of potatoes has been caused by the increased demand in the amount required for seed, owing to those first planted rotting in the ground.

The ringing of the Presbyterian bell at 8 o'clock Saturday morning called together a very happy and harmonious company of children; for that was the day and that the hour fixed for the annual picnic of the Sabbath school.

The objective point was Charleston Lake in general and Derbyshire's Point in particular. This is one of the prettiest spots on the lake shore, and the children spent a very happy day there, returning at an early hour.

Art School Exams. Following is the result of the examination in drawing recently held in Athens high school:

FREEHAND DRAWING. E. Tennant, Harry Taplin, E. Richards, M. Moore, Albert McCaul, A. Miller, K. Livingston, R. Lincoln, F. Kincaid, J. Hanton, A. Hall, E. Gilroy, E. Fairbairn, O. Eaton, A. Berney, J. Baird, A. Frye, P. Herbison, L. Kincaid, L. Mackie, L. Powell, L. Robins, S. Se-well, S. Sicker, L. Stevens, B. Adams, B. Brown, J. Cobey, W. Donovan, C. Nash, G. Scott.

PRACTICAL GEOMETRY. Harry Taplin, Roy Moore, Florence Kincaid, Anna Hall, Ethel Gilroy, Joseph Baird, Lillie Stevens, Lizzie Connell, Pleasance Herbison, Lillie Kincaid, Luella Mackie, Lillie Robins, Clifford Nash, Earnest Leahy.

LINEAR PERSPECTIVE. Harry Taplin, Roy Lincoln, Anna Hall, Lillie Stevens, Pleasance Herbison, Maggie Hogan, Lillie Kincaid, Sadie Pritchard, Sarah Rodgers, Susan Sinclair, Bert Adams.

MODEL DRAWING. O. M. Eaton, Martha Beach, Stella Boyl, Ellen Taplin, John Beattie.

MEMORY OR BLACKBOARD DRAWING. Roy Lincoln, Alice Frye, Andrew Haggerdorn, Susan Sinclair, James Wilcox, Fred Ritter.

York state schools closed on first of June for summer vacation.

The I. O. O. F. met on Wednesday evening for nomination of officers.

Mr. D. C. Brown, B. A., of Windsor, Minn., returned to Athens on Saturday last.

Ogdensburg will celebrate the 4th of July in a loyal manner. For horse racing alone they will put up \$1,700.

The Bradford Bicycle lead them all. H. H. Arnold has the agency for this section. See him and get prices.

At the Brockville Cheese Board last Thursday, 3,500 boxes were offered, white and colored. All were sold at 50c. The cable was 45c.

We notice W. F. Earl offered roofing away, filled an order. Parties wanting tin or iron roofs would do well to see his shingles before buying.

The high chief ruler of Ontario has issued a commission to J. B. Kerr, Newboro, as provincial deputy high chief ruler, I. O. F.

Mr. J. G. Eaton, for some time operator at the B. & W. station here, has gone to Newboro to fill the position vacated by M. Seck. His place here is filled by Mr. W. McChue.

Up in Matthews last week a gang of river-drivers were invited to run the town. The mayor and a posse of constables took a hand in the game and netted in fines the handsome sum of \$148.75.

Barriester Pickup, of Carleton Place, has taken in as a partner Mr. Trevor Groat, son of Rev. G. W. G. Groat, of Lyo, and a graduate from the office of Messrs. Kingston, Wood & Symons, Toronto.

A Christian when he makes a good profession should be sure to make his profession good. It is sad to see many walk in the dark themselves who carry a lantern for others.

Results of the recent departmental examination of the high schools of this vicinity: Alexandria 8 proficiency certificates; Athens, 65; Ganauque, 43; Exeter, 41; Kempville, 31; Prescott, 47.

Misses Euphonia and Ida Tennant, of Gairtown, and Miss Summers, of Brockville, were among a party occupying the cottage of Mr. W. H. Jacob, at Charleston last week.

Rev. Mr. Hagar, the new pastor of the Methodist church, is in Athens this week. Rev. Mr. Grenfell will preach in Carleton Place, his new field of labor, on Sabbath next.

Messrs. Geo. Taylor, M. P., and C. Smith, M. P., for South Ontario, were in Athens to-day, and were probably en route to take a hand in the big political fight now raging in South Leeds.

At a Dominion Government caucus held on Wednesday last it was decided that there should not be a general election until the autumn, unless under the most extreme and exceptional circumstances.

The Press published the following obituary notice last week: Died, the Winchester chess board on June 7th, from paralysis brought on by the rude indifference of cheese producers for the benefit of the local market. Requiescat in pace.

Mr. R. A. Foley's bees swarmed first on the 5th of June, and on the 12th he had twelve new swarms from an apiary of thirty-five colonies. The long-proved, or Langrath, have seemed plenty large enough in his case.

The ceremony of the laying of the corner stone of the Catholic church in Athens has been postponed to an indefinite date. This solemn function, when held, will take place in the afternoon and will not interfere with the hour for worship in the respective churches in Athens.

The board of health of Orange, N. J., asks the citizens to refrain from kissing, as contagious disease of the lips is likely to transmit that disease. The request, it is safe to say, will not be heeded. People who are in the kissing business are not in it for their health.

Mr. Horner has been stationed at Comberbury (in the Pembroke church) to give the notices of the church members of the Pembroke district, has the power to discipline him. This will very likely be done, as Mr. Horner has definitely declined to be "stationed."

The English church S. S. picnic, held at Charleston on Saturday, was a very enjoyable event. Hefferman's grove in the heart of the lake, beyond Cedar Park, was the place selected and there dinner (the principal event of all picnics) was served. The day was fine, the lake not too rough, the dinner excellent, the ground admirably suited for the recreation of children, and all these made the outing a pleasure to all.

Parties building or re-shingling should see our galvanized and lead-covered shingle. We make them to lock across the top as well as the side seams (and nail on to the side lock), which prevent snow or rain beating up under, as it does with a lap joint. We will put on a roof with a written guarantee that if it does not give satisfaction we will ask no pay. The prices are a way down. W. F. EARL.

These are happy days for the big black bass of Carleton, and they are enjoying themselves immensely, freed by the law from the alarming fly of the sportsman, they have nothing to do but watch their nests and catch the young salmon placed in the lake by the government. They are living high, and such racing, jumping and now wallowing as have taken place in the last few days are seldom witnessed.

Ordination and Induction. On Tuesday last the ceremony of ordaining Mr. J. A. Kennedy for the Baptist ministry and inducting him to the charge of the churches at Athens, Middle and Carleton, was performed at the latter place. During the day he was subjected to a rigid examination by Rev's Gilmore, of Brockville; Jackson, of Westport; Sheldon, of Delta; and Murdoch, of Algonquin. He proved himself worthy and in all respects well fitted, and at the close he was declared eligible for admission to the sacred office.

In the evening the ordination service was presided by Rev. Gilmore. The ordination prayer was said by Rev. Jackson; Rev. Sheldon delivered the charge to the minister and Rev. Murdoch the charge to the church. Lay delegates were present from the three churches interested.

The Synod of the diocese of Ontario met at Kingston yesterday.

Mr. I. A. Sherman, of Syracuse, N. Y., was here on a visit to friends last week.

Rev. J. Tate Kitts will preach in the Baptist church on Sabbath evening next.

Last week two Ganauque men captured a fine sturgeon weighing 131 pounds, measuring 6 feet 1 in. long.

The body of Express Messenger Merton Brown, who lost his life in the C. P. R. accident as reported last week, was recovered on Thursday last, and forwarded to Philipville for interment.

Mr. J. P. Mervin, at one time connected with the Revere House, Brockville, and well known in sporting circles, died on Thursday last while attending an excursion to Exeter.

Campers and others sending orders to Barr's drug store, Brockville, can have them filled and sent to boats and trains. P. O. box 78, telephones No. 177 and 131.

New goods shown all this week at Barr's leading drug store. Visitors to Brockville invited to call and inspect stock. Bargains in perfumes, hair ornaments and toilet requisites.

We make lead-covered shingles, which will hold as well as galvanized iron at \$3.00 wooden shingles, and galvanized iron at \$6.00 per square. Don't buy till you see them at W. F. EARL'S.

Every member of the Athens volunteer fire company is requested to meet in Lamb's hall on Thursday evening, June 21st, at 7.30 sharp, for final organization and practice. By order, WM. KARLEY, secretary.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. held their Rainbow social at the residence of Emma H. Lyster on Friday evening. The rainbow feature was a pronounced success, prismatic tints prevailing everywhere. Excellent music was furnished by a string band of H. S. students.

Messrs. C. J. Gilroy & Son, Glen Buell, sold last week to Thos. Percival of Plum Hollow, a very fine registered Holstein bull, weighing about 1135 lbs. They have no difficulty in disposing of all their surplus Holstein cattle and Berkshire pigs at fair prices, as their stock is fully up to the standard and well cared for.

The Masons of Rising Sun Lodge No. 85, A. F. and A. M., Athens, will celebrate Monday, June 24th (St. John the Baptist) by attending divine services in the Presbyterian church. Sermon will be preached by the Rev. Mr. Cameron at 11 a.m. Members will meet in Lodge Room at 10 sharp.

All members of sister lodges are cordially invited to attend.

A well to do farmer, near Thornbury, discontinued his local paper, giving as a reason for doing so a necessity for economy. A short time after, the local paper warned its readers against writing on the margin of a paper or enclosing a letter or anything that would serve the purpose of a letter in a paper when mailing it. This economical farmer was recently required to pay a fine of ten dollars for such an offense, enough to pay his subscription for ten years.

As will be seen by notice in another column, the members of the Athens fire company are requested to meet for final organization and practice in Lamb's hall on Thursday evening at 7.30. The engine has been painted and put in first-class condition, a new hose reel is well under way and a supply of new hose is expected by the end of this week. There are a few minor details of organization to be attended to preliminary to getting down to regular practice, and it is hoped that every member whose name is enrolled, and any others who wish to become connected with the fire company, will make it a point to be present on Thursday evening. It is contemplated giving a public practice drill on the evening of July 1st.

Thanks Kind Friend. Edgar M. Warren, an old Leeds Co. boy, now of Eugene, Oregon, under date of 7th June, writes, "It affords me great pleasure to get down to your subscription for your paper. We hail the coming of the Reporter, as it gives us so much of the news from home. We congratulate you on your success."

Serious Accident. On Friday last Mr. John Warren, of Athens, was passing a horse, named White's crossing on the G. T. R., east of Lansdowne station, when his horse, from some unexplainable cause, stopped on the track. The engine caught the hind end of the rig, throwing part of it twenty feet in the air. Mr. Warren was conveyed by the train in an unconscious condition to Lansdowne, where he received medical attention from Drs. Shaw and Meek. His recovery is a critical state for some time, but is now fast recovering. His friends regard his escape as a miracle.

Look at the Label. A large number of subscriptions to the Reporter expired on the first of June. Please look at your address label and, if you are in arrears, kindly remit the amount due at the rate of \$1.00 per year. All subscriptions of one year and upwards that are not paid by the 15th of July will be charged \$1.25 per year and collected on that basis. We have allowed subscriptions to run in arrears from a large number, on account of the scarcity of money, but we cannot do so any longer and carry on our business successfully. Again we say look at your label, if you are in arrears this notice is destined especially for you. If, fortunately, you are paid up to date, kindly pass it by and thank goodness that this continual dunning is not designed for you.

Obituary. Another and among the last of the original settlers of Bathurst, Mr. Donald Fisher, died at his residence, 5th line of that township, on Monday 4th of June, at the advanced age of 87 years. The deceased was born in the district of Bathurster, Perthshire, Scotland, and his fore-fathers sleep in the same churchyard where lie the bones of the famous Rob Roy MacGregor. Mr. Fisher came to Canada with his parents in the year 1819, when a youth of eleven years, and endured the privations and hardships of pioneer life in Canada, happily unknown to the present generation. He was married to Christina McNece (of the name of Dunson, and Peter McNece of this locality) whom he survived about thirty years. He left three sons—Peter, who lives near Chesley, Ont.; Donald, of Athens, Leeds Co., and Donald, on the farm, and whose place he died.—Courier.

A Dominion prohibition convention will be held in Montreal on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 3rd and 4th, with the object of taking further action towards securing national legislation for the suppression of the liquor traffic.

Arrangements have been made by which delegates and visitors to the Convention may go to Montreal and return from all points for a single first class fare one way. This arrangement will be good for persons starting on Friday, June 29th, up to Wednesday, July 4th, and good for return trip leaving Montreal up to Monday, July 9th.

Communication from Glen Buell unavoidably left over.

Gentlemen of refined taste chew Beaver tobacco, exclusively. For